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**VIA ECF**

Honorable Sandra L. Townes  
United States District Judge  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

**Re: United States v. Jonathan Braun**

Dear Judge Townes:

This letter is to respectfully request that Mr. Braun be allowed to leave his home to attend job interviews. He is hoping to start the job search process as soon as possible and become gainfully employed.

Mr. Braun has already been approved by Pre-trial Services, and there is no objection to this request by the AUSA to attend job interviews so Mr. Braun is therefore requesting permission. If Mr. Braun obtains employment, he will notify Pre-trial Services immediately in order to receive approval for the hours he may be working. Therefore, we respectfully request that Mr. Braun be allowed to go on job interviews and, if he is hired, that he be granted permission by the Court to work.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

John Meringolo, Esq.